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- (a) Identify the contract line item(s) on the payment request that reasonably reflect contract work performance; and
- (b) Separately identify a payment amount for each contract line item included in the payment request.

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C.1. INTRODUCTION

Raystown Lake is a 30,000 acre U.S. Army Corps of Engineers (USACE) project located in south central Pennsylvania, approximately 40 miles south of State College and 30 miles east of Altoona (Figure 1). The USACE has developed an integrated approach to the management of white-tailed deer at Raystown Lake. The purpose of the program is to maintain the biological diversity of the project area through the long-term monitoring of the resident deer herd. White-tailed deer are important recreational and aesthetic components of Raystown Lake and the Corps has taken a proactive approach in the management of the deer herd to insure a healthy forest ecosystem.

Offers are solicited by the U.S. Army Corps of Engineers for conducting a thermal infrared imaging survey to determine white-tailed deer population on 20,616 acres at Raystown Lake. Surveys will be done using an aerial radiometric infrared camera. Survey aircraft are required to be equipped with properly functioning Differentially Corrected Global Positioning Systems (DGPS) to assist in aircraft guidance and flight recording.

C.2. GENERAL STIPULATIONS

- C.2.1. <u>Scope Of Work</u> It is the purpose and intent of this document to provide specifications for aircraft, equipment, infrared surveying, and other operational requirements necessary for a properly prepared and executed Agreement and for securing properly certified and approved aircraft, survey systems, service facilities, qualified ground personnel, and FAA certified and qualified pilots capable of making a proper aerial surveying and performing necessary related functions.
- C.2.2. <u>Dates of Survey</u> Survey period will be between November 7th and November 27th, 2005. The contractor must notify the Corps, local 911, FAA and Huntingdon State Police prior to flying over Federal lands. This notification must occur each day that flights will occur.

It is the contractor's responsibility to monitor survey conditions. The Corps in not responsible for multiple trips required because of unfavorable surveying conditions. Work on evenings, weekends and holidays may be permitted with the approval of the Operations Manager.

- C.2.3. Surveying Acreage A total of 20,616 acres of land will be surveyed.
- C.2.4. <u>Pre-Work Conference</u> There will be a pre-work conference scheduled prior to the start of work after the perspective bid is awarded. All items identified in this contract to be supplied to the Government should be brought to this meeting.

C.3. AWARDING CONTRACT

- C.3.1. <u>Conditions To Be Met</u> In order for this contract to be properly executed all conditions of the specifications must be met by the Contractor. The contract must be able to provide the services and material described within the critical time periods outlined.
- C.3.2. <u>Withdrawal Of Award</u> If it is determined that the lowest bidder is unable to provide the proper equipment as stated in Sections C.6 and C.7 or unable to provide approved safety plans (prior to starting work) the award will be withdrawn.

C.4. OBLIGATIONS OF THE CONTRACTOR

- C.4.1. <u>General</u> The Contractor is obligated to furnish rotary-wing or fixed wing aircraft equipped with DGPS or equivalent GPS system, support equipment, and personnel necessary to survey white-tailed deer using thermal infrared imaging in accordance with the Invitation to Bid, the Contract Specifications, and the Contract Agreement. The Contractor must have adequate knowledge of the difference in thermal descriptions of white-tailed deer and other animals and be able to differentiate as the data is being collected. Other sections in these contract specifications give more specific information on the equipment, and personnel required.
- C.4.1.1 <u>Products</u>. The Contractor is responsible for providing the following products in accordance within the specification of this contract.
- C.4.1.2. <u>Report of Findings</u>. The Contractor will provide a report of findings that must adequately describe the methodology used to collect data, dates and time of field collection, and a summary of results of the findings.
- C.4.1.3. <u>GIS Coverage File</u>. The Contractor will provide a GIS shapefile coverage that identifies each observed deer group with deer data on the number of deer within the group. The shapefile must be compatible with ArcView 3.x and 8.x and be provided in the projection of UTM zone 17, NAD 1927. The contractor may use conversions from image locations or other airborne software to create the shapefile. The methodology used to create the shapefile must be described in the Report of Findings.
- C.4.1.4. <u>Raw image data.</u> All imagery collected will become property of the Government and shall be provided to the Government on VHS video or DVD disks.
- C.4.2. <u>Maintenance</u> In the event of equipment failure, the Contractor must have all parts and equipment repaired for use by the next calendar day. Failure to repair equipment resulting in excessive delays may be reason for deductions or default of this contract. Only emergency repairs are permitted during scheduled survey hours. Routine maintenance must be conducted only at times that will not interfere with the survey operation. Care must be taken to prevent leakage of aviation fuels at all times.

- C.4.3. Security Background checks of contractors may be conducted prior to start of work. This contract does not permit landing zones; vehicle or foot access in any areas that are currently restricted from the public. There are not flight restrictions over the project while conducting the surveys.
- C.4.4. Field Expenses and Transportation Costs incurred in the operation and maintenance of all contractor equipment is the responsibility of the Contractor. Expenses incurred by all Contractor personnel including arrangements for food, lodging, and transportation are the responsibility of the Contractor. The Contractor is responsible for providing a means of ground, air and water transportation for Contractor personnel.
- C.4.5. Spill Cleanup The Contractor shall coordinate the locations for refueling of aircraft with the Government. A spill containment system will be properly used during all refueling operations and shall be approved in advance. The Contractor shall notify the Manager, Raystown Lake immediately of any noncontained aviation fuel spill and take appropriate action to mitigate the spill and decontaminate the site. The Contractor will be responsible for allcleanup activity and costs resulting from any contamination caused by the accidental or intentional spilling, leakage, or dumping of fuel, oil, or any other contaminant.
- C.4.6. Safety The Contractor must conduct all operations pertaining to this contract in a safe and reasonable manner. The contractor must have a well defined, written safety plan to be submitted at the pre-work conference (C.2.4.). Included, as a part of the safety plan must be all appropriate activity hazard analysis forms as defined in Section 1 of EM 385-1-1. The Contractor must provide all safety equipment unless otherwise specified, including, but not limited to, properly sized and coded fire extinguishers, spill containment materials and supplies, and all personal safety equipment. The Contractor must follow all general safety procedures and all special procedures. Contractor personnel are required to conduct themselves in a safe manner at all times. The Contractor must comply with all applicable sections of EM 385-1-1, U.S. Army Corps of Engineers Safety and Health Requirements Manual at

http://www.usace.army.mil/inet/usace-docs/eng-manuals/em385-1-1/toc.htm

C.5. **OBLIGATIONS OF THE GOVERNMENT**

- C.5.1. Government Personnel The Government, through the U.S. Army Corps of Engineers, will furnish personnel to provide quality assurance and quality control.
- C.5.2. Maps The Government will supply copies of 7 1/2 minute USGS topographic quadrangle maps, aerial photographs and other GIS mapping to include a shapefile of areas to be surveyed.

C.6. <u>AIRCRAFT</u>

C.6.1. General Specifications and Operational Limitations

- (A) <u>Licenses</u> Every aircraft furnished for this contract must be properly licensed under regulations of the Federal Aviation Administration.
- (B) <u>Conditions</u> Each aircraft must be clean inside and outside, must fully comply with FAA directives and specifications, and must comply with any pertinent laws and regulations of the State of Pennsylvania.
- (C) <u>Safety</u> Each aircraft must satisfy all safety regulations prescribed by the FAA.
- (D) <u>Equipment</u> All equipment specified in this contract for use in or upon any aircraft must be FAA approved or the Contractor must have an FAA field approval (FAA Form 337) from the FAA Flight Safety District Office serving the Contractor's home base of operations.
- (E) <u>Incapacitation</u> In the event that any aircraft under contract becomes incapacitated it must be repaired within 24 hours of the original breakdown. If the aircraft cannot be repaired and returned safely to full operation, it must be replaced with an aircraft of similar capabilities subject to all of the provisions of these Contract Specifications.
- (F) <u>Engines</u> Each aircraft engine must meet FAA specifications and must be in excellent operating condition. Engine and airframe logs must be present at time of inspection.
- (G) <u>Aircraft Refueling</u> Refueling of the aircraft that occurs while the engine is running and/or the rotor spinning must be done by hose line and nozzle only. Fueling from containers will be permitted only during complete engine shut down. Proper aircraft fuel truck grounding procedures with a FAA-approved grounding kit must be followed while refueling.
- (H) Reserve Fuel A minimum of twenty (20) minutes reserve fuel supply over the amount needed for the planned round trip is required for each flight.
- (I) <u>Loading</u> The pilot is responsible for the proper loading of the aircraft. Loading is under the pilot's direction and must be inspected by the pilot before takeoff. The weight must not exceed the maximum gross weight specified by the aircraft manufacturer. The pilot must compensate for altitude, temperature, landing zone conditions, and any adverse flying conditions.
- (J) <u>Visibility</u> The aircraft windshield or bubble must be kept clean.

C.6.2. <u>Acceptable Aircraft</u> – Only a twin engine Cessna 337 aircraft should be used to insure consistency with previous surveys. Other aircraft not listed that are capable of conducting the specified aerial thermal imaging must be approved by the Corps prior to conducting surveys.

C.7. AIRCRAFT SURVEY SYSTEM

- C.7.1 <u>Survey Equipment</u> Contractor must use the Kelvin 350II Radiometric Infrared Camera system or equivalent. Bidders wishing to use equipment other than the Kelvin 350II must provide the U.S. Army Corps of Engineers with the technical specifications before said contract is awarded. For more information on the Kelvin 350II go to www.polytech-us.com/kelvin350II.htm
- C.7.2 <u>Sensor Equipment</u> A Thermovision 1000 sensor or equivalent must be used. The sensor must be housed in a gyro-stabilized ball mounted to the underside of aircraft.

C.7.3. <u>DGPS or equivalent system.</u>

(A) General

- (1) DGPS with software designed for parallel offset in increments equal to the assigned swath width of the application aircraft or the formation of aircrafts. A course deviation indicator (CDI) or a course deviation light bar must be installed as specified in Item C-9. Differential correction may be provided by a portable differential station, FM radio fixed towers, or satellite. Differential correction signal must cover the entire project area.
- (2) The guidance system being used will allow the flight log to be downloaded to an on-site (airport or helibase) computer for post-flight analysis and review. The flight log must show the entire flight of the aircraft from takeoff to landing and differentiate between survey on and survey off when viewed on the computer monitor. The software must have the capability to zoom to any portion of the flight for viewing in greater detail and a method to determine distance between each flight lane. The system must be able to calculate and show total acres surveyed during the flight. The software must be compatible with dot matrix printers and/or color printers and differentiate between survey on and survey off on the printed copy.
- (3) The DGPS proposed should have been operated successfully in a similar type aerial application program, and demonstrated success prior to contract implementation. If not, an inspection for proper installation and function may be required prior to contract implementation. Contractor must provide

name and phone number of previous clients or other users of the system who can validate the DGPS capabilities at the pre-work conference (C.2.4.).

(B) <u>Contractor DGPS Requirements</u> (All Items Furnished by Contractor)

- (1) All guidance equipment, materials, computers, printers, personnel, and services required for the system to be used. The guidance equipment shall be capable of accurately guiding the aircraft, while flying at altitude, along parallel flight lines equal to the assigned swath width of the application aircraft, in blocks designated by the soliciting agency. The system shall be sufficiently accurate to keep the aircraft on the desired flight path. The guidance system shall be capable of updating the current position rate of five (5) times per second.
- (2) FAA certified mechanic/inspector to install and certify equipment installation in aircraft.
- (3) Differential correction coverage for the complete operation area. During operation, differentially corrected signal must be accurately recorded at least 90 percent of the operational time.
- (4) Post-flight processing computer and software capable of displaying track, altitude and groundspeed of aircraft during flight, with differentiation between standard flight and flight when the application system is on/off. Export file must be on a CD/DVD disk or other mutually acceptable data storage medium.
- (5) Instruction of soliciting agency personnel in the use of post-processing software. Complete operation manuals.
- (6) Full 24-hour on-call equipment service and operator support.
- (7) All related equipment shipping and contractor personnel travel costs.
- (8) Digitizing the treatment blocks will be the contractor's responsibility.

C.8. SURVEY CONDITIONS

- C.8.1. <u>Time of Year</u> Survey will take place after leaf drop and prior to November 27th. .
- C.8.2. <u>Time of Day</u> Day or night surveys are acceptable.
- C.8.3. Weather Clear skies with no fog or haze is required for optimal surveying conditions.

C.8.4. <u>Altitude</u> – The aircraft will fly at 1,000 feet above the Earth's surface during the survey.

C.9. CONTRACTOR PERSONNEL

- C.9.1. <u>Project Supervisor</u> The Contractor must designate one of its personnel to serve as the on-site project supervisor and to represent the company in all contractual matters that require prompt attention.
- C.9.2. <u>Ground Support Personnel</u> The Contractor must supply sufficient numbers of properly trained and qualified ground support personnel to drive all necessary support vehicles, operate and maintain the equipment, properly fuel, service and maintain each aircraft.

All ground support personnel must be equipped and trained to take proper action in an emergency. These people must observe all safety precautions in handling and in refueling the aircraft.

The Contractor must supply personnel who are trained in the use of DGPS.

C.9.3. Pilots

- (A) <u>FAA Qualifications</u> The Contractor must provide pilots that are FAA qualified to operate the aircraft specified in the bid. Each pilot must be qualified under FAR part 137.
- (B) <u>Pilot List</u> The Contractor must provide the U.S. Army Corps of Engineers with a list of all pilots slated for use on the contract.
- (D) Experience Each pilot must meet or exceed the following experience minimums as pilot in command. The Contractor must supply totals for each pilot to be used in this contract for the categories listed below at the pre-work conference (C.2.4.). The Government reserves the right to approve or disapprove the pilot in command based on these minimum requirements:

- All Aircraft	1000 hours
- Night flying	10 hours
- Rotary wing aircraft	500 hours
-Weight class (category) to be flown on contract	100 hours
- Make, model, and series to be flown on contract	20 hours
-Thermal infrared imaging application in terrain	
typical of contract area	50 hours
-Takeoffs/landings at altitude typical of contract	
area	20 times

(E) <u>Pilot Responsibility</u> - The surveying pilot is responsible for the accuracy of the thermal infrared imaging surveys to the designated site using good application

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delivery procedures generally recognized as correct by professionals in the aerial surveying industry.

C.10. <u>INSURANCE REQUIREMENTS</u>

- (A) <u>General Requirements</u> The Contractor must maintain liability insurance protecting the Government, and the Contractor from claims regarding damage to persons and property from activities in connection with performance under this contract, including operation of aircraft, equipment and vehicles.
- (B) <u>Coverage's and Limits</u> Pursuant to the contract clause entitled, Insurance—Work on a Government Installation, the Contractor shall procure and maintain during the entire period of his performance under the contract the following minimum insurance.
 - (1) Aircraft Liability \$1,000,000 single limit for each occurrence for bodily injury and property damage combined.
 - (2) Chemical Liability \$100,000 per person, \$300,000 per occurrence for bodily injury; \$100,000 for each occurrence/aggregate for property damage.
 - (3) Automotive Liability \$1,000,000 single limit for each occurrence for bodily injury and property damage combined.

Worker's Compensation and Employer's Liability: Contractors are required to comply with applicable Federal and State Worker's compensation and occupational disease statutes.

C.11. INSPECTIONS, DEDUCTIONS, AND DEFAULTS

C.11.1. <u>Inspections</u>

- C.11.1.1. Contractor performance will be evaluated with emphasis in the following areas:
 - a. Proper conduct in dealing with Government officials and the visiting public.
 - b. Compliance with specifications.
 - c. Safety procedures.
 - d. Number and frequency of valid visitor complaints.
- C.11.1.2. Inspection will be accomplished by Government personnel using a sampling method of inspection.

C.11.2. Deductions

C.11.2.1. <u>Introduction</u> - Due to the behavior of white-tailed deer during hunting seasons, the amount of time during which successful surveying can be made is limited. For this reason, delays caused by the Contractor during periods of acceptable survey conditions are potentially damaging to the outcome of the program. In addition, such delays are costly to the Government and therefore subject to the assessment of agreed damages for failure to perform. Repeated occurrences of failure to perform actions are sufficient grounds for contract termination and removing the Contractor's name from the list of acceptable bidders for future projects.

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The Contractor is not liable for agreed damages if the failure to meet the terms of the Contract arises out of causes beyond the control and without the fault or negligence of the Contractor. Such causes may include, but are not restricted to, acts of God or of the public enemy, acts of the Government in either its sovereign or contractual capacity, fires, floods, epidemics, quarantine restrictions, strikes, freight embargoes, and unusually severe weather; but in every case, the failure to perform must be beyond the control and without the fault or negligence of the Contractor.

- C.11.2.2. <u>Defective Service</u> If the services are found to be defective in workmanship or otherwise not in conformity with the specifications and requirements of the contract, the Government shall have the right to reject such service.
- C.11.2.3. <u>Damage to Facilities</u> Damage to Government facilities should be minimized. Any damage to Government facilities deemed to have been caused by Contractor negligence shall be (1) corrected in a timely fashion by the Contractor, (2) corrected by the Government or another Contractor and deducted from the Contractor pay estimate, or (3) settled in an appropriate and timely fashion through the Contractor's insurance carrier.

C.11.3. Default

- C.11.3.1. Default of the contract shall be considered for various reasons relating to nonperformance of the contractual specifications. Following is a partial listing of reasons for which default may be considered:
 - a. Failure to provide items and services identified in the contract.
 - b. Nonperformance.
 - c. Repetitive safety violations.
 - d. Abnormally high amounts of inflicted damage to Government facilities or private property.
- C.11.3.2. Contractor employee actions or conduct deemed inappropriate by the contracting officer will be grounds for the immediate cancellation of the contract. Other contractor actions that would result in immediate dismissal would include but not be limited to the following:

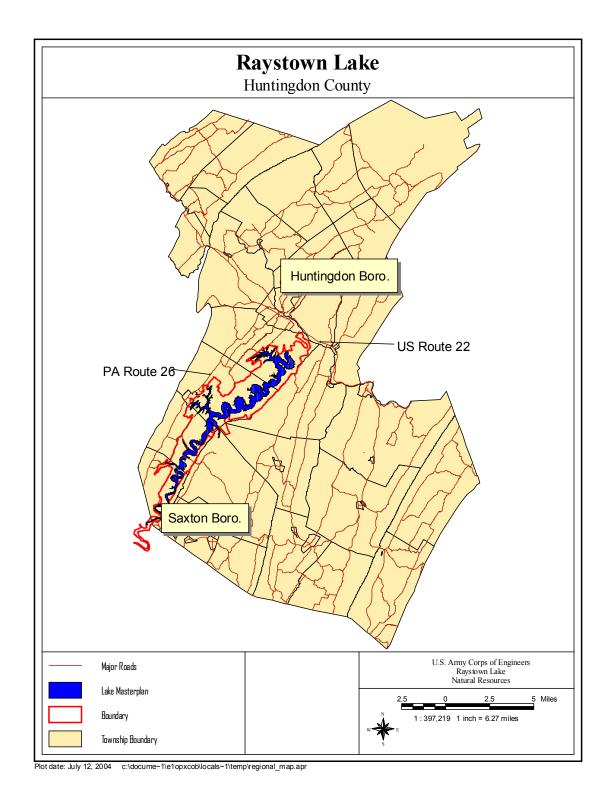
- a. Intoxication or drug use while on duty.
- b. Repeated safety violations.
- c. Cursing or harassment of visitors.
- d. Theft of money or supplies.
- e. Unprovoked physical contact with visitors, Corps personnel, or other Government Contractors.

C.12. INVOICES AND PAYMENT

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- C.12.1. Payment for this contract will be based on actual survey. Contractor must supply the Government a summary sheet showing all surveyed areas.
- C.12.2. Payment for this contract will be processed in a lump sum payment upon the satisfactory completion in accordance with the specifications listed above. Delays due to weather or other factors are the responsibility of the contractor and should be incorporated into the lump sum amount. No payment shall be received for services not rendered. Payments may be adjusted based on "C.11. Inspections, Deductions and Default". Incorrect invoices will be returned to the contractor for correction before the pay estimate is processed for payment. Invoices shall be mailed to RD 1 Box 222, Hesston, PA 16647 and include the contractors name, address, date and balance due.

Figure 1. General Location Map of Raystown Lake



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CONDUCT THERMAL INFRARED DEER SURVEY

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CONDUCT THERMAL INFRARED DEER SURVEY AT RAYSTOWN LAKE PROJECT.

P.O.C.: JEFFREY KRAUSE (814)658-3405

CONTRACTING P.O.C.: JACKIÉ HENDERSON (410)962-3529 PURCHASE REQUEST NUMBER: W81W3G-5270-3748

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52.222-3	Convict Labor	JUN 2003
52.222-21	Prohibition Of Segregated Facilities	FEB 1999
52.222-26	Equal Opportunity	APR 2002
52.222-36	Affirmative Action For Workers With Disabilities	JUN 1998
52.222-41	Service Contract Act Of 1965, As Amended	JUL 2005
52.232-28	Invitation to Propose Performance-Based Payments	MAR 2000
52.232-33	Payment by Electronic Funds TransferCentral Contractor	OCT 2003
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52.233-3	Protest After Award	AUG 1996
52.237-3	Continuity Of Services	JAN 1991
52.242-15	Stop-Work Order	AUG 1989
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252.204-7003	Control Of Government Personnel Work Product	APR 1992
252.225-7001	Buy American Act And Balance Of Payments Program	JUN 2005
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252.232-7003	Electronic Submission of Payment Requests	JAN 2004
252.232-7010	Levies on Contract Payments	SEP 2005
252.243-7001	Pricing Of Contract Modifications	DEC 1991
252.246-7000	Material Inspection And Receiving Report	MAR 2003

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52.212-1 INSTRUCTIONS TO OFFERORS--COMMERCIAL ITEMS (JAN 2005)

- (a) North American Industry Classification System (NAICS) code and small business size standard. The NAICS code and small business size standard for this acquisition appear in Block 10 of the solicitation cover sheet (SF 1449). However, the small business size standard for a concern which submits an offer in its own name, but which proposes to furnish an item which it did not itself manufacture, is 500 employees.
- (b) Submission of offers. Submit signed and dated offers to the office specified in this solicitation at or before the exact time specified in this solicitation. Offers may be submitted on the SF 1449, letterhead stationery, or as otherwise specified in the solicitation. As a minimum, offers must show--
- (1) The solicitation number;

- (2) The time specified in the solicitation for receipt of offers;
- (3) The name, address, and telephone number of the offeror;
- (4) A technical description of the items being offered in sufficient detail to evaluate compliance with the requirements in the solicitation. This may include product literature, or other documents, if necessary;
- (5) Terms of any express warranty;
- (6) Price and any discount terms;
- (7) "Remit to" address, if different than mailing address;
- (8) A completed copy of the representations and certifications at FAR 52.212-3 (see FAR 52.212-3(j) for those representations and certifications that the offeror shall complete electronically);
- (9) Acknowledgment of Solicitation Amendments;
- (10) Past performance information, when included as an evaluation factor, to include recent and relevant contracts for the same or similar items and other references (including contract numbers, points of contact with telephone numbers and other relevant information); and
- (11) If the offer is not submitted on the SF 1449, include a statement specifying the extent of agreement with all terms, conditions, and provisions included in the solicitation. Offers that fail to furnish required representations or information, or reject the terms and conditions of the solicitation may be excluded from consideration.
- (c) Period for acceptance of offers. The offeror agrees to hold the prices in its offer firm for 30 calendar days from the date specified for receipt of offers, unless another time period is specified in an addendum to the solicitation.
- (d) Product samples. When required by the solicitation, product samples shall be submitted at or prior to the time specified for receipt of offers. Unless otherwise specified in this solicitation, these samples shall be submitted at no expense to the Government, and returned at the sender's request and expense, unless they are destroyed during preaward testing.
- (e) Multiple offers. Offerors are encouraged to submit multiple offers presenting alternative terms and conditions or commercial items for satisfying the requirements of this solicitation. Each offer submitted will be evaluated separately.
- (f) Late submissions, modifications, revisions, and withdrawals of offers:
- (1) Offerors are responsible for submitting offers, and any modifications, revisions, or withdrawals, so as to reach the Government office designated in the solicitation by the time specified in the solicitation. If no time is specified in the solicitation, the time for receipt is 4:30 p.m., local time, for the designated Government office on the date that offers or revisions are due.
- (2)(i) Any offer, modification, revision, or withdrawal of an offer received at the Government office designated in the solicitation after the exact time specified for receipt of offers is "late" and will not be considered unless it is received before award is made, the Contracting Officer determines that accepting the late offer would not unduly delay the acquisition; and--
- (A) If it was transmitted through an electronic commerce method authorized by the solicitation, it was received at the initial point of entry to the Government infrastructure not later than 5:00 p.m. one working day prior to the date specified for receipt of offers; or

- (B) There is acceptable evidence to establish that it was received at the Government installation designated for receipt of offers and was under the Government's control prior to the time set for receipt of offers; or
- (C) If this solicitation is a request for proposals, it was the only proposal received.
- (ii) However, a late modification of an otherwise successful offer, that makes its terms more favorable to the Government, will be considered at any time it is received and may be accepted.
- (3) Acceptable evidence to establish the time of receipt at the Government installation includes the time/date stamp of that installation on the offer wrapper, other documentary evidence of receipt maintained by the installation, or oral testimony or statements of Government personnel.
- (4) If an emergency or unanticipated event interrupts normal Government processes so that offers cannot be received at the Government office designated for receipt of offers by the exact time specified in the solicitation, and urgent Government requirements preclude amendment of the solicitation or other notice of an extension of the closing date, the time specified for receipt of offers will be deemed to be extended to the same time of day specified in the solicitation on the first work day on which normal Government processes resume.
- (5) Offers may be withdrawn by written notice received at any time before the exact time set for receipt of offers. Oral offers in response to oral solicitations may be withdrawn orally. If the solicitation authorizes facsimile offers, offers may be withdrawn via facsimile received at any time before the exact time set for receipt of offers, subject to the conditions specified in the solicitation concerning facsimile offers. An offer may be withdrawn in person by an offeror or its authorized representative if, before the exact time set for receipt of offers, the identity of the person requesting withdrawal is established and the person signs a receipt for the offer.
- (g) Contract award (not applicable to Invitation for Bids). The Government intends to evaluate offers and award a contract without discussions with offerors. Therefore, the offeror's initial offer should contain the offeror's best terms from a price and technical standpoint. However, the Government reserves the right to conduct discussions if later determined by the Contracting Officer to be necessary. The Government may reject any or all offers if such action is in the public interest; accept other than the lowest offer; and waive informalities and minor irregularities in offers received.
- (h) Multiple awards. The Government may accept any item or group of items of an offer, unless the offeror qualifies the offer by specific limitations. Unless otherwise provided in the Schedule, offers may not be submitted for quantities less than those specified. The Government reserves the right to make an award on any item for a quantity less than the quantity offered, at the unit prices offered, unless the offeror specifies otherwise in the offer.
- (i) Availability of requirements documents cited in the solicitation. (1)(i) The GSA Index of Federal Specifications, Standards and Commercial Item Descriptions, FPMR Part 101-29, and copies of specifications, standards, and commercial item descriptions cited in this solicitation may be obtained for a fee by submitting a request to--GSA Federal Supply Service Specifications Section, Suite 8100, 470 East L'Enfant Plaza, SW, Washington, DC 20407, Telephone (202) 619-8925, Facsimile (202) 619-8978.
- (ii) If the General Services Administration, Department of Agriculture, or Department of Veterans Affairs issued this solicitation, a single copy of specifications, standards, and commercial item descriptions cited in this solicitation may be obtained free of charge by submitting a request to the addressee in paragraph (i)(1)(i) of this provision. Additional copies will be issued for a fee.
- (2) The DoD Index of Specifications and Standards (DoDISS) and documents listed in it may be obtained from the-Department of Defense Single Stock Point (DoDSSP), Building 4, Section D, 700 Robbins Avenue, Philadelphia, PA 19111-5094, Telephone (215) 697-2667/2179, Facsimile (215) 697-1462.
- (i) Automatic distribution may be obtained on a subscription basis.

- (ii) Order forms, pricing information, and customer support information may be obtained--
- (A) By telephone at (215) 697-2667/2179; or
- (B) Through the DoDSSP Internet site at http://dodssp.daps.mil.
- (3) Nongovernment (voluntary) standards must be obtained from the organization responsible for their preparation, publication, or maintenance.
- (j) Data Universal Numbering System (DUNS) Number. (Applies to all offers exceeding \$25,000, and offers of \$25,000 or less if the solicitation requires the Contractor to be registered in the Central Contractor Registration (CCR) database. The offeror shall enter, in the block with its name and address on the cover page of its offer, the annotation "DUNS" or "DUNS +4" followed by the DUNS or DUNS +4 number that identifies the offeror's name and address. The DUNS +4 is the DUNS number plus a 4-character suffix that may be assigned at the discretion of the offeror to establish additional CCR records for identifying alternative Electronic Funds Transfer (EFT) accounts (see FAR Subpart 32.11) for the same parent concern. If the offeror does not have a DUNS number, it should contact Dun and Bradstreet directly to obtain one. An offeror within the United States may contact Dun and Bradstreet by calling 1-866-705-5711 or via the internet at http://www.dnb.com. An offeror located outside the United States must contact the local Dun and Bradstreet office for a DUNS number.
- (k) Central Contractor Registration. Unless exempted by an addendum to this solicitation, by submission of an offer, the offeror acknowledges the requirement that a prospective awardee shall be registered in the CCR database prior to award, during performance and through final payment of any contract resulting from this solicitation. If the Offeror does not become registered in the CCR database in the time prescribed by the Contracting Officer, the Contracting Officer will proceed to award to the next otherwise successful registered Offeror. Offerors may obtain information on registration and annual confirmation requirements via the Internet at http://www.ccr.gov or by calling 1-888-227-2423 or 269-961-5757.
- (l) Debriefing. If a post-award debriefing is given to requesting offerors, the Government shall disclose the following information, if applicable:
- (1) The agency's evaluation of the significant weak or deficient factors in the debriefed offeror's offer.
- (2) The overall evaluated cost or price and technical rating of the successful and the debriefed offeror and past performance information on the debriefed offeror.
- (3) The overall ranking of all offerors, when any ranking was developed by the agency during source selection.
- (4) A summary of the rationale for award;
- (5) For acquisitions of commercial items, the make and model of the item to be delivered by the successful offeror.
- (6) Reasonable responses to relevant questions posed by the debriefed offeror as to whether source-selection procedures set forth in the solicitation, applicable regulations, and other applicable authorities were followed by the agency.

(End of provision)

(a) The Government will award a contract resulting from this solicitation to the responsible offeror whose offer conforming to the solicitation will be most advantageous to the Government, price and other factors considered. The following factors shall be used to evaluate offers:

Significant evaluation factors, such as (i) technical capability of the item offered to meet the Government requirement; (ii) price; (iii) past performance (see FAR 15.304); (iv) small disadvantaged business participation; are important evaluation factors, in descending order of importancewhich shall be reviewed by the Contracting Officer and the Enduser.

Technical and past performance, when combined, are important factors in accordance with FAR 15.304, the relative importance of all other evaluation factors, when combined, when compared to price which shall be reviewed by the Contracting Officer and Enduser.

- (b) Options. The Government will evaluate offers for award purposes by adding the total price for all options to the total price for the basic requirement. The Government may determine that an offer is unacceptable if the option prices are significantly unbalanced. Evaluation of options shall not obligate the Government to exercise the option(s).
- (c) A written notice of award or acceptance of an offer, mailed or otherwise furnished to the successful offeror within the time for acceptance specified in the offer, shall result in a binding contract without further action by either party. Before the offer's specified expiration time, the Government may accept an offer (or part of an offer), whether or not there are negotiations after its receipt, unless a written notice of withdrawal is received before award.

(End of clause)

52.212-3 OFFEROR REPRESENTATIONS AND CERTIFICATIONS--COMMERCIAL ITEMS (MAR 2005)

An offeror shall complete only paragraph (j) of this provision if the offeror has completed the annual representations and certifications electronically at http://orca.bpn.gov. If an offeror has not completed the annual representations and certifications electronically at the ORCA website, the offeror shall complete only paragraphs (b) through (i) of this provision.

(a) Definitions. As used in this provision:

"Emerging small business" means a small business concern whose size is no greater than 50 percent of the numerical size standard for the NAICS code designated.

"Forced or indentured child labor" means all work or service-

- (1) Exacted from any person under the age of 18 under the menace of any penalty for its nonperformance and for which the worker does not offer himself voluntarily; or
- (2) Performed by any person under the age of 18 pursuant to a contract the enforcement of which can be accomplished by process or penalties.

Service-disabled veteran-owned small business concern--

(1) Means a small business concern--

- (i) Not less than 51 percent of which is owned by one or more service-disabled veterans or, in the case of any publicly owned business, not less than 51 percent of the stock of which is owned by one or more service-disabled veterans; and
- (ii) The management and daily business operations of which are controlled by one or more service-disabled veterans or, in the case of a service-disabled veteran with permanent and severe disability, the spouse or permanent caregiver of such veteran.
- (2) Service-disabled veteran means a veteran, as defined in 38 U.S.C. 101(2), with a disability that is service-connected, as defined in 38 U.S.C. 101(16).

"Small business concern" means a concern, including its affiliates, that is independently owned and operated, not dominant in the field of operation in which it is bidding on Government contracts, and qualified as a small business under the criteria in 13 CFR Part 121 and size standards in this solicitation.

Veteran-owned small business concern means a small business concern-

- (1) Not less than 51 percent of which is owned by one or more veterans (as defined at 38 U.S.C. 101(2)) or, in the case of any publicly owned business, not less than 51 percent of the stock of which is owned by one or more veterans; and
- (2) The management and daily business operations of which are controlled by one or more veterans.

"Women-owned small business concern" means a small business concern--

- (1) That is at least 51 percent owned by one or more women or, in the case of any publicly owned business, at least 51 percent of its stock is owned by one or more women; or
- (2) Whose management and daily business operations are controlled by one or more women.

"Women-owned business concern" means a concern which is at least 51 percent owned by one or more women; or in the case of any publicly owned business, at least 51 percent of the stock of which is owned by one or more women; and whose management and daily business operations are controlled by one or more women.

- (b) Taxpayer Identification Number (TIN) (26 U.S.C. 6109, 31 U.S.C. 7701). (Not applicable if the offeror is required to provide this information to a central contractor registration database to be eligible for award.)
- (1) All offerors must submit the information required in paragraphs (b)(3) through (b)(5) of this provision to comply with debt collection requirements of 31 U.S.C. 7701(c) and 3325(d), reporting requirements of 26 U.S.C. 6041, 6041A, and 6050M, and implementing regulations issued by the Internal Revenue Service (IRS).
- (2) The TIN may be used by the Government to collect and report on any delinquent amounts arising out of the offeror's relationship with the Government (31 U.S.C. 7701(c)(3)). If the resulting contract is subject to the payment reporting requirements described in FAR 4.904, the TIN provided hereunder may be matched with IRS records to verify the accuracy of the offeror's TIN.

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(3) Taxpayer Identification Number (TIN).					
TIN:					
TIN has been applied for.					
TIN is not required because:					

Offeror is a nonresident alien, foreign corporation, or foreign partnership that does not have income effectively connected with the conduct of a trade or business in the United States and does not have an office or place of business or a fiscal paying agent in the United States;
Offeror is an agency or instrumentality of a foreign government;
Offeror is an agency or instrumentality of the Federal Government.
(4) Type of organization.
Sole proprietorship;
Partnership;
Corporate entity (not tax-exempt);
Corporate entity (tax-exempt);
Government entity (Federal, State, or local);
Foreign government;
International organization per 26 CFR 1.6049-4;
Other
(5) Common parent.
Offeror is not owned or controlled by a common parent;
Name and TIN of common parent:
Name
TIN
(c) Offerors must complete the following representations when the resulting contract will be performed in the United States or its outlying areas. Check all that apply.
(1) Small business concern. The offeror represents as part of its offer that it () is, () is not a small business concern.
(2) Veteran-owned small business concern. (Complete only if the offeror represented itself as a small business concern in paragraph $(c)(1)$ of this provision.) The offeror represents as part of its offer that it () is, () is not a veteran-owned small business concern.
(3) Service-disabled veteran-owned small business concern. (Complete only if the offeror represented itself as a veteran-owned small business concern in paragraph (c)(2) of this provision.) The offeror represents as part of its offer that it () is, () is not a service-disabled veteran-owned small business concern.
(4) Small disadvantaged business concern. (Complete only if the offeror represented itself as a small business concern in paragraph (c)(1) of this provision.) The offeror represents, for general statistical purposes, that it () is, () is not a small disadvantaged business concern as defined in 13 CFR 124.1002.

(5) Women-owned small business concern. (Complete only if the offeror represented itself as a small business
concern in paragraph (c)(1) of this provision.) The offeror represents that it () is, () is not a women-owned small
husiness concern

Note: Complete paragraphs (c)(6) and (c)(7) only if this solicitation is expected to exceed the simplified acquisition threshold.

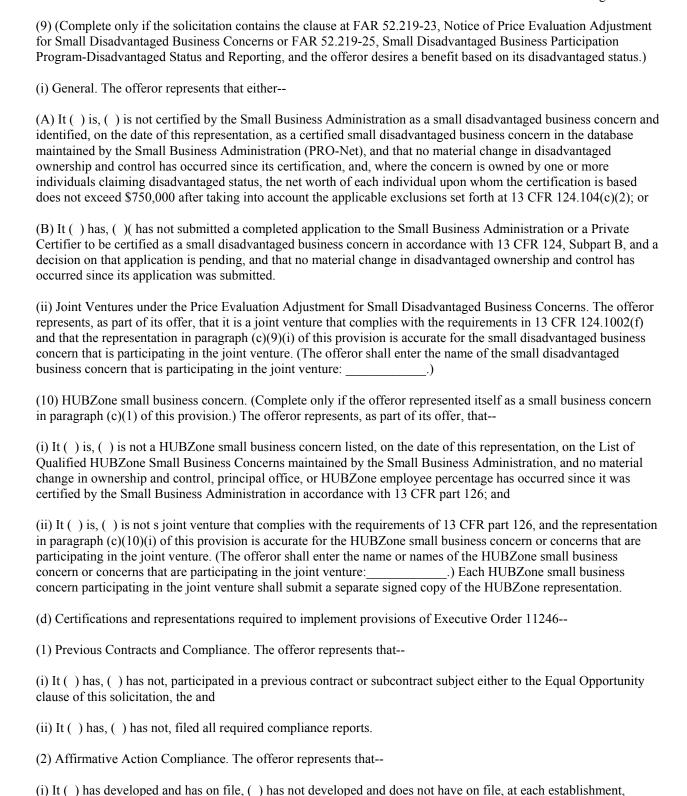
- (6) Women-owned business concern (other than small business concern). (Complete only if the offeror is a women-owned business concern and did not represent itself as a small business concern in paragraph (c)(1) of this provision.) The offeror represents that it () is, a women-owned business concern.
- (7) Tie bid priority for labor surplus area concerns. If this is an invitation for bid, small business offerors may identify the labor surplus areas in which costs to be incurred on account of manufacturing or production (by offeror or first-tier subcontractors) amount to more than 50 percent of the contract price:
- (8) Small Business Size for the Small Business Competitiveness Demonstration Program and for the Targeted Industry Categories under the Small Business Competitiveness Demonstration Program. (Complete only if the offeror has represented itself to be a small business concern under the size standards for this solicitation.)
- (i) (Complete only for solicitations indicated in an addendum as being set-aside for emerging small businesses in one of the designated industry groups (DIGs).) The offeror represents as part of its offer that it () is, () is not an emerging small business.
- (ii) (Complete only for solicitations indicated in an addendum as being for one of the targeted industry categories (TICs) or designated industry groups (DIGs).) Offeror represents as follows:
- (A) Offeror's number of employees for the past 12 months (check the Employees column if size standard stated in the solicitation is expressed in terms of number of employees); or
- (B) Offeror's average annual gross revenue for the last 3 fiscal years (check the Average Annual Gross Number of Revenues column if size standard stated in the solicitation is expressed in terms of annual receipts).

(Check one of the following):

Average Annual

Number of Employees Gross Revenues

50 or fewer	\$1 million or less
51 - 100	\$1,000,001 - \$2 million
101 - 250	_ \$2,000,001 - \$3.5 million
251 - 500	_ \$3,500,001 - \$5 million
501 - 750	_ \$5,000,001 - \$10 million
751 - 1,000 _	\$10,000,001 - \$17 million
Over 1 000	Over \$17 million



affirmative action programs required by rules and regulations of the Secretary of Labor (41 CFR Subparts 60-1 and

60-2), or

- (ii) It () has not previously had contracts subject to the written affirmative action programs requirement of the rules and regulations of the Secretary of Labor.
- (e) Certification Regarding Payments to Influence Federal Transactions (31 U.S.C. 1352). (Applies only if the contract is expected to exceed \$100,000.) By submission of its offer, the offeror certifies to the best of its knowledge and belief that no Federal appropriated funds have been paid or will be paid to any person for influencing or attempting to influence an officer or employee of any agency, a Member of Congress, an officer or employee of Congress or an employee of a Member of Congress on his or her behalf in connection with the award of any resultant contract.
- (f) Buy American Act Certificate. (Applies only if the clause at Federal Acquisition Regulation (FAR) 52.225-1, Buy American Act --Supplies, is included in this solicitation.)
- (1) The offeror certifies that each end product, except those listed in paragraph (f)(2) of this provision, is a domestic end product and that the offeror has considered components of unknown origin to have been mined, produced, or manufactured outside the United States. The offeror shall list as foreign end products those end products manufactured in the United States that do not qualify as domestic end products. The terms ``component," ``domestic end product," ``end product," ``foreign end product," and ``United States" are defined in the clause of this solicitation entitled ``Buy American Act--Supplies."

(2) Foreign End Products:
Line Item No.:Country of Origin:
(List as necessary)

- (3) The Government will evaluate offers in accordance with the policies and procedures of FAR Part 25.
- (g)(1) Buy American Act-Free Trade Agreements-Israeli Trade Act Certificate. (Applies only if the clause at FAR 52.225-3, Buy American Act-Free Trade Agreements-Israeli Trade Act, is included in this solicitation.)
- (i) The offeror certifies that each end product, except those listed in paragraph (g)(1)(ii) or (g)(1)(iii) of this provision, is a domestic end product and that the offeror has considered components of unknown origin to have been mined, produced, or manufactured outside the United States. The terms "component," "domestic end product," "end product," "foreign end product," and "United States" are defined in the clause of this solicitation entitled "Buy American Act-Free Trade Agreements-Israeli Trade Act."
- (ii) The offeror certifies that the following supplies are end products of Australia, Canada, Chile, Mexico, or Singapore, or Israeli end products as defined in the clause of this solicitation entitled "Buy American Act-Free Trade Agreements-Israeli Trade Act":

End Products of Australia, Canada, Chile, Mexico, or Singapore or Israeli End Products:

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[List as necessary		
		nat are foreign end products (other than those listed in paragraph (g)(1)(ii) of this solicitation entitled "Buy American Act-Free Trade Agreements-
Israeli Trade Act.'		s other foreign end products those end products manufactured in the
Other Foreign End	d Products:	
Line Item No.	Country of Origin	
[List as necessary]		
(2) Buy American the clause at FAR	Act-Free Trade Agreen	in accordance with the policies and procedures of FAR Part 25. nents-Israeli Trade Act Certificate, Alternate I (Jan 2004). If Alternate I to this solicitation, substitute the following paragraph (g)(1)(ii) for :
		owing supplies are Canadian end products as defined in the clause of this ree Trade Agreements-Israeli Trade Act":
Canadian End Pro	oducts:	
I	Line Item No.	

[List as necessary]

- (3) Buy American Act-Free Trade Agreements-Israeli Trade Act Certificate, Alternate II (Jan 2004). If Alternate II to the clause at FAR 52.225-3 is included in this solicitation, substitute the following paragraph (g)(1)(ii) for paragraph (g)(1)(ii) of the basic provision:
- (g)(1)(ii) The offeror certifies that the following supplies are Canadian end products or Israeli end products as defined in the clause of this solicitation entitled "Buy American Act-Free Trade Agreements-Israeli Trade Act":

Canadian or Israeli End Products:

Line Item No.	Country of Origin
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[List as necessary]

- (4) Trade Agreements Certificate. (Applies only if the clause at FAR 52.225-5, Trade Agreements, is included in this solicitation.)
- (i) The offeror certifies that each end product, except those listed in paragraph (g)(4)(ii) of this provision, is a U.S.-made or designated country end product, as defined in the clause of this solicitation entitled "Trade Agreements."
- (ii) The offeror shall list as other end products those end products that are not U.S.-made or designated country end products.

Other End Products:

Line Item No.	Country of Origin
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[List as necessary]

(iii) The Government will evaluate offers in accordance with the policies and procedures of FAR Part 25. For line items covered by the WTO GPA, the Government will evaluate offers of U.S.-made or designated country end products without regard to the restrictions of the Buy American Act. The Government will consider for award only offers of U.S.-made or designated country end products unless the Contracting Officer determines that there are no

offers for such products or that the offers for such products are insufficient to fulfill the requirements of the solicitation.

- (h) Certification Regarding Debarment, Suspension or Ineligibility for Award (Executive Order 12549). The offeror certifies, to the best of its knowledge and belief, that --
- (1) The offeror and/or any of its principals () are, () are not presently debarred, suspended, proposed for debarment, or declared ineligible for the award of contracts by any Federal agency, and
- (2) () Have, () have not, within a three-year period preceding this offer, been convicted of or had a civil judgment rendered against them for: commission of fraud or a criminal offense in connection with obtaining, attempting to obtain, or performing a Federal, state or local government contract or subcontract; violation of Federal or state antitrust statutes relating to the submission of offers; or commission of embezzlement, theft, forgery, bribery, falsification or destruction of records, making false statements, tax evasion, or receiving stolen property; and
- (3) () are, () are not presently indicted for, or otherwise criminally or civilly charged by a Government entity with, commission of any of these offenses.
- (i) Certification Regarding Knowledge of Child Labor for Listed End Products (Executive Order 13126). [The Contracting Officer must list in paragraph (i)(1) any end products being acquired under this solicitation that are included in the List of Products Requiring Contractor Certification as to Forced or Indentured Child Labor, unless excluded at 22.1503(b).]

(1) Listed End Product

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Listed End Product	• Listed Countries of Origin:
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- (2) Certification. [If the Contracting Officer has identified end products and countries of origin in paragraph (i)(1) of this provision, then the offeror must certify to either (i)(2)(i) or (i)(2)(ii) by checking the appropriate block.]
- ()(i) The offeror will not supply any end product listed in paragraph (i)(1) of this provision that was mined, produced, or manufactured in the corresponding country as listed for that product.
- () (ii) The offeror may supply an end product listed in paragraph (i)(1) of this provision that was mined, produced, or manufactured in the corresponding country as listed for that product. The offeror certifies that is has made a good faith effort to determine whether forced or indentured child labor was used to mine, produce, or manufacture any such end product furnished under this contract. On the basis of those efforts, the offeror certifies that it is not aware of any such use of child labor.
- (j)(1) Annual Representations and Certifications. Any changes provided by the offeror in paragraph (j) of this provision do not automatically change the representations and certifications posted on the Online Representations and Certifications Application (ORCA) website.
- (2) The offeror has completed the annual representations and certifications electronically via the ORCA website at http://orca.bpn.gov. After reviewing the ORCA database information, the offeror verifies by submission of this offer that the representations and certifications currently posted electronically at FAR 52.212-3, Offeror Representations and Certifications--Commercial Items, have been entered or updated in the last 12 months, are current, accurate, complete, and applicable to this solicitation (including the business size standard applicable to the NAICS code referenced for this solicitation), as of the date of this offer and are incorporated in this offer by reference (see FAR 4.1201), except for paragraphs

(Offeror to identify the applicable paragraphs at (b) through (i) of this provision that the offeror has completed for the purposes of this solicitation only, if any.

These amended representation(s) and/or certification(s) are also incorporated in this offer and are current, accurate, and complete as of the date of this offer.

Any changes provided by the offeror are applicable to this solicitation only, and do not result in an update to the representations and certifications posted on ORCA.)

(End of provision)

52.212-5 CONTRACT TERMS AND CONDITIONS REQUIRED TO IMPLEMENT STATUTES OR EXECUTIVE ORDERS--COMMERCIAL ITEMS (SEP 2005) (DEVIATION)

- (a) Comptroller General Examination of Record. The Contractor agrees to comply with the provisions of this paragraph (a) if the contract was awarded using other than sealed bid, is in excess of the simplified acquisition threshold, and does not contain the clause at 52.215-2, Audit and Records-Negotiation.
- (1) The Comptroller General of the United States, or an authorized representative of the Comptroller General, shall have access to the right to examine any of the Contractor's directly pertinent records involving transactions related to this contract.
- (2) The Contractor shall make available at its offices at all reasonable times, the records, materials, and other evidence for examination, audit, or reproduction, until 3 years after final payment under this contract or for any shorter period specified in FAR Subpart 4.7, Contractor Records Retention, of the other clauses of this contract. If this contract is completely or partially terminated, the records relating to the work terminated shall be made available for 3 years after any resulting final termination settlement. Records relating to appeals under the disputes clause or to litigation or the settlement of claims arising under or relating to this contract shall be made available until such appeals, litigation, or claims are finally resolved.
- (3) As used in this clause, records include books, documents, accounting procedures and practices, and other data, regardless of form. This does not require the Contractor to create or maintain any record that the Contractor does not maintain in the ordinary course of business or pursuant to a provision of law.
- (b) Notwithstanding the requirements of any other clause in this contract, the Contractor is not required to flow down any FAR clause, other than those in paragraphs (i) through (vii) of this paragraph in a subcontract for commercial items. Unless otherwise indicated below, the extent of the flow down shall be as required by the clause-
- (i) 52.219-8, Utilization of Small Business Concerns (MAY 2004) (15 U.S.C. 637(d)(2) and (3)), in all subcontracts that offer further subcontracting opportunities. If the subcontract (except subcontracts to small business concerns) exceeds \$500,000 (\$1,000,000 for construction of any public facility), the subcontractor must include 52.219-8 in lower tier subcontracts that offer subcontracting opportunities.
- (ii) 52.222-26, Equal Opportunity (Apr 2002) (E.O. 11246).
- (iii) 52.222-35, Equal Opportunity for Special Disabled Veterans, Veterans of the Vietnam Era, and Other Eligible Veterans (Dec 2001) (38 U.S.C. 4212).
- (iv) 52.222-36, Affirmative Action for Workers with Disabilities (Jun 1998) (29 U.S.C. 793).

- (v) 52.222-39, Notification of Employee Rights Concerning Payment of Union Dues or Fees (DEC 2004) (E.O. 13201)
- (vi) 52.222-41, Service Contract Act of 1965, as Amended (JUL 2005), flow down required for all subcontracts subject to the Service Contract Act of 1965 (41 U.S.C. 351, et seq.).
- (vii) 52.247-64, Preference for Privately Owned U.S.-Flag Commercial Vessels (Apr 2003) (46 U.S.C. Appx 1241 and 10 U.S.C. 2631). Flow down required in accordance with paragraph (d) of FAR clause 52.247-64.
- (c) While not required, the contractor May include in its subcontracts for commercial items a minimal number of additional clauses necessary to satisfy its contractual obligations.

(End of clause)

52.219-1 SMALL BUSINESS PROGRAM REPRESENTATIONS (MAY 2004)

- (a)(1) The North American Industry Classification System (NAICS) code for this acquisition is 541370.
- (2) The small business size standard is \$4.0M.
- (3) The small business size standard for a concern which submits an offer in its own name, other than on a construction or service contract, but which proposes to furnish a product which it did not itself manufacture, is 500 employees.
- (b) Representations. (1) The offeror represents as part of its offer that it () is, () is not a small business concern.
- (2) (Complete only if the offeror represented itself as a small business concern in paragraph (b)(1) of this provision.) The offeror represents, for general statistical purposes, that it () is, () is not a small disadvantaged business concern as defined in 13 CFR 124.1002.
- (3) (Complete only if the offeror represented itself as a small business concern in paragraph (b)(1) of this provision.) The offeror represents as part of its offer that it () is, () is not a women-owned small business concern.
- (4) (Complete only if the offeror represented itself as a small business concern in paragraph (b)(1) of this provision.) The offeror represents as part of its offer that it () is, () is not a veteran-owned small business concern.
- (5) (Complete only if the offeror represented itself as a veteran-owned small business concern in paragraph (b)(4) of this provision.) The offeror represents as part of its offer that it () is, () is not a service-disabled veteran-owned small business concern.
- (6) (Complete only if the offeror represented itself as a small business concern in paragraph (b)(1) of this provision.) The offeror represents, as part of its offer, that--
- (i) It () is, () is not a HUBZone small business concern listed, on the date of this representation, on the List of Qualified HUBZone Small Business Concerns maintained by the Small Business Administration, and no material change in ownership and control, principal office, or HUBZone employee percentage has occurred since it was certified by the Small Business Administration in accordance with 13 CFR part 126; and
- (ii) It () is, () is not a joint venture that complies with the requirements of 13 CFR part 126, and the representation in paragraph (b)(6)(i) of this provision is accurate for the HUBZone small business concern or concerns that are participating in the joint venture. (The offeror shall enter the name or names of the HUBZone small business

concern or concerns that are participating in the joint venture:) Each HUBZone small business
concern participating in the joint venture shall submit a separate	signed copy of the HUBZone representation.

(c) Definitions. As used in this provision--

Service-disabled veteran-owned small business concern--

- (1) Means a small business concern--
- (i) Not less than 51 percent of which is owned by one or more service-disabled veterans or, in the case of any publicly owned business, not less than 51 percent of the stock of which is owned by one or more service-disabled veterans; and
- (ii) The management and daily business operations of which are controlled by one or more service-disabled veterans or, in the case of a service-disabled veteran with permanent and severe disability, the spouse or permanent caregiver of such veteran.
- (2) Service-disabled veteran means a veteran, as defined in 38 U.S.C. 101(2), with a disability that is service-connected, as defined in 38 U.S.C. 101(16).

"Small business concern," means a concern, including its affiliates, that is independently owned and operated, not dominant in the field of operation in which it is bidding on Government contracts, and qualified as a small business under the criteria in 13 CFR Part 121 and the size standard in paragraph (a) of this provision.

Veteran-owned small business concern means a small business concern--

- (1) Not less than 51 percent of which is owned by one or more veterans (as defined at 38 U.S.C. 101(2)) or, in the case of any publicly owned business, not less than 51 percent of the stock of which is owned by one or more veterans; and
- (2) The management and daily business operations of which are controlled by one or more veterans.

"Women-owned small business concern," means a small business concern --

- (1) That is at least 51 percent owned by one or more women; in the case of any publicly owned business, at least 51 percent of the stock of which is owned by one or more women; and
- (2) Whose management and daily business operations are controlled by one or more women.
- (d) Notice.
- (1) If this solicitation is for supplies and has been set aside, in whole or in part, for small business concerns, then the clause in this solicitation providing notice of the set-aside contains restrictions on the source of the end items to be furnished.
- (2) Under 15 U.S.C. 645(d), any person who misrepresents a firm's status as a small, HUBZone small, small disadvantaged, or women-owned small business concern in order to obtain a contract to be awarded under the preference programs established pursuant to section 8(a), 8(d), 9, or 15 of the Small Business Act or any other provision of Federal law that specifically references section 8(d) for a definition of program eligibility, shall--
- (i) Be punished by imposition of fine, imprisonment, or both;
- (ii) Be subject to administrative remedies, including suspension and debarment; and

(iii) Be ineligible for participation in programs conducted under the authority of the Act. (End of provision) 52.219-22 SMALL DISADVANTAGED BUSINESS STATUS (OCT 1999) (a) General. This provision is used to assess an offeror's small disadvantaged business status for the purpose of obtaining a benefit on this solicitation. Status as a small business and status as a small disadvantaged business for general statistical purposes is covered by the provision at FAR 52.219-1, Small Business Program Representation. (b) Representations. (1) General. The offeror represents, as part of its offer, that it is a small business under the size standard applicable to this acquisition; and either--(i) It has received certification by the Small Business Administration as a small disadvantaged business concern consistent with 13 CFR 124, Subpart B; and (A) No material change in disadvantaged ownership and control has occurred since its certification; (B) Where the concern is owned by one or more disadvantaged individuals, the net worth of each individual upon whom the certification is based does not exceed \$750,000 after taking into account the applicable exclusions set forth at 13 CFR 124.104(c)(2); and (C) It is identified, on the date of this representation, as a certified small disadvantaged business concern in the database maintained by the Small Business Administration(PRO0Net); or (ii) It has submitted a completed application to the Small Business Administration or a Private Certifier to be certified as a small disadvantaged business concern in accordance with 13 CFR 124, Subpart B, and a decision on that application is pending, and that no material change in disadvantaged ownership and control has occurred since its application was submitted. (2) For Joint Ventures. The offeror represents, as part of its offer, that it is a joint venture that complies with the requirements at 13 CFR 124.1002(f) and that the representation in paragraph (b)(1) of this provision is accurate for the small disadvantaged business concern that is participating in the joint venture. [The offeror shall enter the name of the small disadvantaged business concern that is participating in the joint venture: (c) Penalties and Remedies. Anyone who misrepresents any aspects of the disadvantaged status of a concern for the purposes of securing a contract or subcontract shall: (1) Be punished by imposition of a fine, imprisonment, or both; (2) Be subject to administrative remedies, including suspension and debarment; and (3) Be ineligible for participation in programs conducted under the authority of the Small Business Act. (End of provision)

52.222-18 CERTIFICATION REGARDING KNOWLEDGE OF CHILD LABOR FOR LISTED END PRODUCTS (FEBRUARY 2001)

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(End of provision)

Forced or indentured child labor means all work or service--

- (1) Exacted from any person under the age of 18 under the menace of any penalty for its nonperformance and for which the worker does not offer himself voluntarily; or
- (2) Performed by any person under the age of 18 pursuant to a contract the enforcement of which can be accomplished by process or penalties.
- (b) Listed end products. The following end product(s) being acquired under this solicitation is (are) included in the List of Products Requiring Contractor Certification as to Forced or Indentured Child Labor, identified by their country of origin. There is a reasonable basis to believe that listed endproducts from the listed countries of origin may have been mined, produced, or manufactured by forced or indentured child labor.

Listed End Product
Listed Countries of Origin
(c) Certification. The Government will not make award to an offeror unless the offeror, by checking the appropriate block, certifies to either paragraph (c)(1) or paragraph (c)(2) of this provision.
() (1) The offeror will not supply any end product listed in paragraph (b) of this provision that was mined, produced, or manufactured in a corresponding country as listed for that end product.
() (2) The offeror may supply an end product listed in paragraph (b) of this provision that was mined, produced, or manufactured in the corresponding country as listed for that product. The offeror certifies that it has made a good faith effort to determine whether forced or indentured child labor was used to mine, produce, or manufacture such end product. On the basis of those efforts, the offeror certifies that it is not aware of any such use of child labor.
(End of provision)
52.222-22 PREVIOUS CONTRACTS AND COMPLIANCE REPORTS (FEB 1999)
The offeror represents that
(a) () It has, () has not participated in a previous contract or subcontract subject to the Equal Opportunity clause of this solicitation;
(b) () It has, () has not, filed all required compliance reports; and
(c) Representations indicating submission of required compliance reports, signed by proposed subcontractors, will be obtained before subcontract awards.

52.222-25 AFFIRMATIVE ACTION COMPLIANCE (APR 1984)

The offeror represents that

- (a) [] it has developed and has on file, [] has not developed and does not have on file, at each establishment, affirmative action programs required by the rules and regulations of the Secretary of Labor (41 CFR 60-1 and 60-2), or
- (b) [] has not previously had contracts subject to the written affirmative action programs requirement of the rules and regulations of the Secretary of Labor.

(End of provision)

52.222-42 STATEMENT OF EQUIVALENT RATES FOR FEDERAL HIRES (MAY 1989)

In compliance with the Service Contract Act of 1965, as amended, and the regulations of the Secretary of Labor (29 CFR Part 4), this clause identifies the classes of service employees expected to be employed under the contract and states the wages and fringe benefits payable to each if they were employed by the contracting agency subject to the provisions of 5 U.S.C. 5341 or 5332.

THIS STATEMENT IS FOR INFORMATION ONLY: IT IS NOT A WAGE DETERMINATION Employee Class Monetary Wage-Fringe Benefits

See Wage Determination Decision

(End of clause)

52.233-4 APPLICABLE LAW FOR BREACH OF CONTRACT CLAIM (OCT 2004)

United States law will apply to resolve any claim of breach of this contract.

(End of clause)

52.252-1 SOLICITATION PROVISIONS INCORPORATED BY REFERENCE (FEB 1998)

This solicitation incorporates one or more solicitation provisions by reference, with the same force and effect as if they were given in full text. Upon request, the Contracting Officer will make their full text available. The offeror is cautioned that the listed provisions may include blocks that must be completed by the offeror and submitted with its quotation or offer. In lieu of submitting the full text of those provisions, the offeror may identify the provision by paragraph identifier and provide the appropriate information with its quotation or offer. Also, the full text of a solicitation provision may be accessed electronically at this/these address(es):

http://www.arnet.gov/far

http://farsite.hill.af.mil

(End of provision

52.252-2 CLAUSES INCORPORATED BY REFERENCE (FEB 1998)

This contract incorporates one or more clauses by reference, with the same force and effect as if they were given in full text. Upon request, the Contracting Officer will make their full text available. Also, the full text of a clause may be accessed electronically at this/these address(es):

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(End of clause)

252.204-7004 CENTRAL CONTRACTOR REGISTRATION (52.204-7) ALTERNATE A (NOV 2003)

(a) Definitions. As used in this clause--

"Central Contractor Registration (CCR) database" means the primary Government repository for contractor information required for the conduct of business with the Government.

"Commercial and Government Entity (CAGE) code" means--

- (1) A code assigned by the Defense Logistics Information Service (DLIS) to identify a commercial or Government entity; or
- (2) A code assigned by a member of the North Atlantic Treaty Organization that DLIS records and maintains in the CAGE master file. This type of code is known as an "NCAGE code."
- "Data Universal Numbering System (DUNS) number" means the 9-digit number assigned by Dun and Bradstreet, Inc. (D&B) to identify unique business entities.

"Data Universal Numbering System +4 (DUNS+4) number" means the DUNS number assigned by D&B plus a 4-character suffix that may be assigned by a business concern. (D&B has no affiliation with this 4-character suffix.) This 4-character suffix may be assigned at the discretion of the business concern to establish additional CCR records for identifying alternative Electronic Funds Transfer (EFT) accounts (see Subpart 32.11 of the Federal Acquisition Regulation) for the same parent concern.

"Registered in the CCR database" means that--

- (1) The Contractor has entered all mandatory information, including the DUNS number or the DUNS+4 number, into the CCR database;
- (2) The Contractor's CAGE code is in the CCR database; and
- (3) The Government has validated all mandatory data fields and has marked the records "Active."

- (b)(1) By submission of an offer, the offeror acknowledges the requirement that a prospective awardee shall be registered in the CCR database prior to award, during performance, and through final payment of any contract, basic agreement, basic ordering agreement, or blanket purchasing agreement resulting from this solicitation.
- (2) The offeror shall enter, in the block with its name and address on the cover page of its offer, the annotation "DUNS" or "DUNS +4" followed by the DUNS or DUNS +4 number that identifies the offeror's name and address exactly as stated in the offer. The DUNS number will be used by the Contracting Officer to verify that the offeror is registered in the CCR database.
- (c) If the offeror does not have a DUNS number, it should contact Dun and Bradstreet directly to obtain one.
- (1) An offeror may obtain a DUNS number-
- (i) If located within the United States, by calling Dun and Bradstreet at 1-866-705-5711 or via the Internet at http://www.dnb.com; or
- (ii) If located outside the United States, by contacting the local Dun and Bradstreet office.
- (2) The offeror should be prepared to provide the following information:
- (i) Company legal business.
- (ii) Tradestyle, doing business, or other name by which your entity is commonly recognized.
- (iii) Company Physical Street Address, City, State, and Zip Code.
- (iv) Company Mailing Address, City, State and Zip Code (if separate from physical).
- (v) Company Telephone Number.
- (vi) Date the company was started.
- (vii) Number of employees at your location.
- (viii) Chief executive officer/key manager.
- (ix) Line of business (industry).
- (x) Company Headquarters name and address (reporting relationship within your entity).
- (d) If the Offeror does not become registered in the CCR database in the time prescribed by the Contracting Officer, the Contracting Officer will proceed to award to the next otherwise successful registered Offeror.
- (e) Processing time, which normally takes 48 hours, should be taken into consideration when registering. Offerors who are not registered should consider applying for registration immediately upon receipt of this solicitation.
- (f) The Contractor is responsible for the accuracy and completeness of the data within the CCR database, and for any liability resulting from the Government's reliance on inaccurate or incomplete data. To remain registered in the CCR database after the initial registration, the Contractor is required to review and update on an annual basis from the date of initial registration or subsequent updates its information in the CCR database to ensure it is current, accurate and complete. Updating information in the CCR does not alter the terms and conditions of this contract and is not a substitute for a properly executed contractual document.

- (1)
- (i) If a Contractor has legally changed its business name, "doing business as" name, or division name (whichever is shown on the contract), or has transferred the assets used in performing the contract, but has not completed the necessary requirements regarding novation and change-of-name agreements in Subpart 42.12, the Contractor shall provide the responsible Contracting Officer a minimum of one business day's written notification of its intention to (A) change the name in the CCR database; (B) comply with the requirements of Subpart 42.12 of the FAR; and (C) agree in writing to the timeline and procedures specified by the responsible Contracting Officer. The Contractor must provide with the notification sufficient documentation to support the legally changed name.
- (ii) If the Contractor fails to comply with the requirements of paragraph (g)(1)(i) of this clause, or fails to perform the agreement at paragraph (g)(1)(i)(C) of this clause, and, in the absence of a properly executed novation or change-of-name agreement, the CCR information that shows the Contractor to be other than the Contractor indicated in the contract will be considered to be incorrect information within the meaning of the "Suspension of Payment" paragraph of the electronic funds transfer (EFT) clause of this contract.
- (2) The Contractor shall not change the name or address for EFT payments or manual payments, as appropriate, in the CCR record to reflect an assignee for the purpose of assignment of claims (see FAR Subpart 32.8, Assignment of Claims). Assignees shall be separately registered in the CCR database. Information provided to the Contractor's CCR record that indicates payments, including those made by EFT, to an ultimate recipient other than that Contractor will be considered to be incorrect information within the meaning of the "Suspension of payment" paragraph of the EFT clause of this contract.
- (h) Offerors and Contractors may obtain information on registration and annual confirmation requirements via the internet at http://www.ccr.gov or by calling 1-888-227-2423, or 269-961-5757.

(End of clause)

252.212-7001 CONTRACT TERMS AND CONDITIONS REQUIRED TO IMPLEMENT STATUTES OR EXECUTIVE ORDERS APPLICABLE TO DEFENSE ACQUISITIONS OF COMMERCIAL ITEMS (SEP 2005) (DEVIATION)

(a) In addition to the clauses listed in paragraph (b) of the Contract Terms and Conditions Required to Implement Statutes or Executive Orders--Commercial Items clause of this contract (FAR 52.212-5 (JUL 2005) (DEVIATION), the Contractor shall include the terms of the following clause, if applicable, in subcontracts for commercial items or commercial components, awarded at any tier under this contract:

252.225-7014	Preference for Domestic Specialty Metals, Alternate I (APR 2003) (10
	U.S.C. 2533a).
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252.232-7019	Training for Contractor Personnel Interacting with Detainees (SEP
	2005) (Section 1092 of Pub. L. 108-375).
252.247-7023	Transportation of Supplies by Sea (MAY 2002) (10 U.S.C. 2631)
252.247-7024	Notification of Transportation of Supplies by Sea (MAR 2000) (10
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	U.S.C. 2631)

(End of clause)

- (a) Definitions. Domestic end product, foreign end product, qualifying country, qualifying country end product, and United States have the meanings given in the Buy American Act and Balance of Payments Program clause of this solicitation.
- (b) Evaluation. The Government--
- (1) Will evaluate offers in accordance with the policies and procedures of Part 225 of the Defense Federal Acquisition Regulation Supplement; and
- (2) Will evaluate offers of qualifying country end products without regard to the restrictions of the Buy American Act or the Balance of Payments Program.
- (c) Certifications and identification of country of origin.
- (1) For all line items subject to the Buy American Act and Balance of Payments Program clause of this solicitation, the offeror certifies that--
- (i) Each end product, except those listed in paragraph (c)(2) or (3) of this provision, is a domestic end product; and
- (ii) Components of unknown origin are considered to have been mined, produced, or manufactured outside the United States or a qualifying country.

(2) The offeror certifies that the following end products are qualifying country end products:
(Line Item Number Country of Origin)
(Country of Origin)
(3) The following end products are other foreign end products:
(Line Item Number)
(Country of Origin) (If known)
(End of provision)
252.247.7022 TRANSPORTATION OF SURPLIES BY SEA (MAY 2002) ALTERNATE IN (MAY 2002)

252.247-7023 TRANSPORTATION OF SUPPLIES BY SEA (MAY 2002) ALTERNATE III (MAY 2002)

- (a) Definitions. As used in this clause --
- (1) "Components" means articles, materials, and supplies incorporated directly into end products at any level of manufacture, fabrication, or assembly by the Contractor or any subcontractor.
- (2) "Department of Defense" (DoD) means the Army, Navy, Air Force, Marine Corps, and defense agencies.
- (3) "Foreign flag vessel" means any vessel that is not a U.S.-flag vessel.
- (4) "Ocean transportation" means any transportation aboard a ship, vessel, boat, barge, or ferry through international

waters.

- (5) "Subcontractor" means a supplier, materialman, distributor, or vendor at any level below the prime contractor whose contractual obligation to perform results from, or is conditioned upon, award of the prime contract and who is performing any part of the work or other requirement of the prime contract.
- (6) "Supplies" means all property, except land and interests in land, that is clearly identifiable for eventual use by or owned by the DoD at the time of transportation by sea.
- (i) An item is clearly identifiable for eventual use by the DoD if, for example, the contract documentation contains a reference to a DoD contract number or a military destination.
- (ii) "Supplies" includes (but is not limited to) public works; buildings and facilities; ships; floating equipment and vessels of every character, type, and description, with parts, subassemblies, accessories, and equipment; machine tools; material; equipment; stores of all kinds; end items; construction materials; and components of the foregoing.
- (7) "U.S.-flag vessel" means a vessel of the United States or belonging to the United States, including any vessel registered or having national status under the laws of the United States.
- (b)(1) The Contractor shall use U.S.-flag vessels when transporting any supplies by sea under this contract.
- (2) A subcontractor transporting supplies by sea under this contract shall use U.S.-flag vessels if--
- (i) This contract is a construction contract; or
- (ii) The supplies being transported are--
- (A) Noncommercial items; or
- (B) Commercial items that--
- (1) The Contractor is reselling or distributing to the Government without adding value (generally, the Contractor does not add value to items that it contracts for f.o.b. destination shipment);
- (2) Are shipped in direct support of U.S. military contingency operations, exercises, or forces deployed in humanitarian or peacekeeping operations; or
- (3) Are commissary or exchange cargoes transported outside of the Defense Transportation System in accordance with 10 U.S.C. 2643.
- (c) The Contractor and its subcontractors may request that the Contracting Officer authorize shipment in foreign-flag vessels, or designate available U.S.-flag vessels, if the Contractor or a subcontractor believes that --
- (1) U.S.-flag vessels are not available for timely shipment;
- (2) The freight charges are inordinately excessive or unreasonable; or
- (3) Freight charges are higher than charges to private persons for transportation of like goods.
- (d) The Contractor must submit any request for use of other than U.S.-flag vessels in writing to the Contracting Officer at least 45 days prior to the sailing date necessary to meet its delivery schedules. The Contracting Officer will process requests submitted after such date(s) as expeditiously as possible, but the Contracting Officer's failure to grant approvals to meet the shipper's sailing date will not of itself constitute a compensable delay under this or any other clause of this contract. Requests shall contain at a minimum --

(1) Type, weight, and cube of cargo;
(2) Required shipping date;
(3) Special handling and discharge requirements;
(4) Loading and discharge points;
(5) Name of shipper and consignee;
(6) Prime contract number; and
(7) A documented description of efforts made to secure U.Sflag vessels, including points of contact (with names and telephone numbers) with at least two U.Sflag carriers contacted. Copies of telephone notes, telegraphic and facsimile message or letters will be sufficient for this purpose.
(e) The Contractor shall, within 30 days after each shipment covered by this clause, provide the Contracting Officer and the Maritime Administration, Office of Cargo Preference, U.S. Department of Transportation, 400 Seventh Street SW., Washington, DC 20590, one copy of the rated on board vessel operating carrier's ocean bill of lading, which shall contain the following information:
(1) Prime contract number;
(2) Name of vessel;
(3) Vessel flag of registry;
(4) Date of loading;
(5) Port of loading;
(6) Port of final discharge;
(7) Description of commodity;
(8) Gross weight in pounds and cubic feet if available;
(9) Total ocean freight in U.S. dollars; and
(10) Name of the steamship company.
(f) The Contractor shall insert the substance of this clause, including this paragraph (f), in subcontracts that are for a type of supplies described in paragraph (b)(2) of this clause.
(End of clause)

WAGE DETERMINATION DECISION OF THE SECRETARY OF LABOR

WAGE DETERMINATION

The following wage determination will be used to conform With the requirements of the Service Contract Act of 1965 (29 CFR 4) of the General Provisions:

Decision No. 1995-0222 dated: 05/23/2005

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SCA NO: 95-0222 REV-18 ISSUED 05/23/2005
95-0222 18 Aerial Photographers/Seeding/Spraying
REGISTER OF WAGE DETERMINATIONS UNDER ^3 U.S. DEPARTMENT OF LABOR THE SERVICE CONTRACT ACT ^3 EMPLOYMENT STANDARDS ADMINISTRATION
By direction of the Secretary of Labor <sup>3</sup> WAGE AND HOUR DIVISION
                                                  WASHINGTON, D.C. 20210
William W. Gross Division of Wage <sup>3</sup> Wage Determination No: 1995-0222 Director Determinations <sup>3</sup> Revision No: 18 Date Of Revision: 05/23/2005
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Nationwide: Applicable in the continental U.S. Alaska, Puerto Rico, Hawaii and
Virgin Islands.
**Fringe Benefits Required Follow the Occupational Listing**
Employed on U.S. Government contracts for aerial photograher, aerial seeding,
aerial spraying, transportation of personnel and cargo, fire reconnaissance,
administrative flying, fire detection, air taxi mail service, and other flying
services.
EXCEPT SCHEDULED AIRLINE TRANSPORTATION AND LARGE MULTI-ENGINE AIRCRAFT SUCH AS
THE B-727, DC-8, AND THE DC-9.
OCCUPATION CODE - TITLE MINIMUM WAGE RATE
(not set) - Aerial Photographer 11.12
(not set) - First Officer (Co-Pilot) 20.28
31010 - Airplane Pilot 22.28
EXCEPT SCHEDULED AIRLINE TRANSPORTATION AND LARGE MULTI-ENGINE AIRCRAFT SUCH AS
THE B-727, DC-8, AND THE DC-9.
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ALL OCCUPATIONS LISTED ABOVE RECEIVE THE FOLLOWING BENEFITS:
HEALTH & WELFARE: \$2.87 an hour or \$114.80 a week or \$497.47 a month
VACATION: 2 weeks paid vacation after 1 year of service with a contractor or
successor; 3 weeks after 5 years, and 4 weeks after 15 years. Length of service
includes the whole span of continuous service with the present contractor or
successor, wherever employed, and with the predecessor contractors in the
performance of similar work at the same Federal facility. (Reg. 29 CFR 4.173)
HOLIDAYS: A minimum of ten paid holidays per year: New Year's Day, Martin Luther
King Jr.'s Birthday, Washington's Birthday, Memorial Day, Independence Day,
Labor Day, Columbus Day, Veterans' Day, Thanksgiving Day, and Christmas Day. (A
contractor may substitute for any of the named holidays another day off with pay
in accordance with a plan communicated to the employees involved.) (See 29 CFR
4.174)

VACATION (Hawaii): 2 weeks paid vacation after 1 year of service with a contractor or successor; 3 weeks after 10 years, and 4 weeks after 15 years. Length of service includes the whole span of continuous service with the present contractor or successor, wherever employed, and with the predecessor contractors in the performance of similar work at the same Federal facility. (Reg. 29 CFR 4.173)

HEALTH & WELFARE (Hawaii): \$1.29 an hour for all employees on whose behalf the contractor provides health care benefits pursuant to the Hawaii prepaid Health Care Act. For those employees who are not receiving health care benefits mandated by the Hawaii prepaid Health Care Act, the new health and welfare benefit rate will be \$2.87. For information regarding the Hawaii prepaid Health

Care Act, please contact the Hawaii Employers Council.

HAZARDOUS PAY DIFFERENTIAL: An 8 percent differential is applicable to employees employed in a position that represents a high degree of hazard when working with or in close proximity to ordinance, explosives, and incendiary materials. This includes work such as screening, blending, dying, mixing, and pressing of sensitive ordance, explosives, and pyrotechnic compositions such as lead azide, black powder and photoflash powder. All dry-house activities involving propellants or explosives. Demilitarization, modification, renovation, demolition, and maintenance operations on sensitive ordnance, explosives and incendiary materials. All operations involving regrading and cleaning of artillery ranges.

A 4 percent differential is applicable to employees employed in a position that represents a low degree of hazard when working with, or in close proximity to ordance, (or employees possibly adjacent to) explosives and incendiary materials which involves potential injury such as laceration of hands, face, or arms of the employee engaged in the operation, irritation of the skin, minor burns and the like; minimal damage to immediate or adjacent work area or equipment being used. All operations involving, unloading, storage, and hauling of ordance, explosive, and incendiary ordnance material other than small arms ammunition. These differentials are only applicable to work that has been specifically designated by the agency for ordance, explosives, and incendiary material differential pay.

** UNIFORM ALLOWANCE **

If employees are required to wear uniforms in the performance of this contract (either by the terms of the Government contract, by the employer, by the state or local law, etc.), the cost of furnishing such uniforms and maintaining (by laundering or dry cleaning) such uniforms is an expense that may not be borne by an employee where such cost reduces the hourly rate below that required by the wage determination. The Department of Labor will accept payment in accordance with the following standards as compliance:

The contractor or subcontractor is required to furnish all employees with an adequate number of uniforms without cost or to reimburse employees for the actual cost of the uniforms. In addition, where uniform cleaning and maintenance is made the responsibility of the employee, all contractors and subcontractors subject to this wage determination shall (in the absence of a bona fide collective bargaining agreement providing for a different amount, or the furnishing of contrary affirmative proof as to the actual cost), reimburse all employees for such cleaning and maintenance at a rate of \$3.35 per week (or \$.67 cents per day). However, in those instances where the uniforms furnished are made of "wash and wear" materials, may be routinely washed and dried with other personal garments, and do not require any special treatment such as dry cleaning, daily washing, or commercial laundering in order to meet the cleanliness or appearance standards set by the terms of the Government contract, by the contractor, by law, or by the nature of the work, there is no requirement that employees be reimbursed for uniform maintenance costs.

** NOTES APPLYING TO THIS WAGE DETERMINATION **

Source of Occupational Title and Descriptions:

The duties of employees under job titles listed are those described in the "Service Contract Act Directory of Occupations," Fourth Edition, January 1993, as amended by the Third Supplement, dated March 1997, unless otherwise indicated. This publication may be obtained from the Superintendent of Documents, at 202-783-3238, or by writing to the Superintendent of Documents, U.S. Government Printing Office, Washington, D.C. 20402. Copies of specific job descriptions may also be obtained from the appropriate contracting officer. REQUEST FOR AUTHORIZATION OF ADDITIONAL CLASSIFICATION AND WAGE RATE {Standard Form 1444 (SF 1444)}

Conformance Process:

The contracting officer shall require that any class of service employee which is not listed herein and which is to be employed under the contract (i.e., the work to be performed is not performed by any classification listed in the wage determination), be classified by the contractor so as to provide a reasonable relationship (i.e., appropriate level of skill comparison) between such unlisted classifications and the classifications listed in the wage determination. Such conformed classes of employees shall be paid the monetary wages and furnished the fringe benefits as are determined. Such conforming process shall be

initiated by the contractor prior to the performance of contract work by such unlisted class(es) of employees. The conformed classification, wage rate, and/or fringe benefits shall be retroactive to the commencement date of the contract. {See Section 4.6 ©(vi)} When multiple wage determinations are included in a contract, a separate SF 1444 should be prepared for each wage determination to which a class(es) is to be conformed.

The process for preparing a conformance request is as follows:

- 1) When preparing the bid, the contractor identifies the need for a conformed occupation(s) and computes a proposed rate(s).
- 2) After contract award, the contractor prepares a written report listing in order proposed classification title(s), a Federal grade equivalency (FGE) for each proposed classification(s), job description(s), and rationale for proposed wage rate(s), including information regarding the agreement or disagreement of the authorized representative of the employees involved, or where there is no authorized representative, the employees themselves. This report should be submitted to the contracting officer no later than 30 days after such unlisted class(es) of employees performs any contract work.
- 3) The contracting officer reviews the proposed action and promptly submits a report of the action, together with the agency's recommendations and pertinent information including the position of the contractor and the employees, to the Wage and Hour Division, Employment Standards Administration, U.S. Department of Labor, for review. (See section 4.6(b)(2) of Regulations 29 CFR Part 4).
- 4) Within 30 days of receipt, the Wage and Hour Division approves, modifies, or disapproves the action via transmittal to the agency contracting officer, or notifies the contracting officer that additional time will be required to process the request.
- 5) The contracting officer transmits the Wage and Hour decision to the contractor.
- 6) The contractor informs the affected employees.
- Information required by the Regulations must be submitted on SF 1444 or bond paper.

When preparing a conformance request, the "Service Contract Act Directory of Occupations" (the Directory) should be used to compare job definitions to insure that duties requested are not performed by a classification already listed in the wage determination. Remember, it is not the job title, but the required tasks that determine whether a class is included in an established wage determination. Conformances may not be used to artificially split, combine, or subdivide classifications listed in the wage determination.

** OCCUPATIONS NOT INCLUDED IN THE SCA DIRECTORY OF OCCUPATIONS ** Aerial Photographer

The aerial photographer must be skilled in reading flight maps, capable of assisting the pilot to adhere to flight lines, be able to level and operate a cartographic camera and its auxiliary equipment mounted in the aircraft so that the photographs that are taken will have the required forward lap and side lap for use in photogrammetric mapping equipment, and possess a working knowledge of aerial films and camera filters to insure proper exposure of the films. First Officer (Co-Pilot)

Is second in command of commercial airplane and its crew while transporting passengers, mail, or other cargo on scheduled or nonscheduled flights. Assists or relieves an airline captain in operating the controls of an airplane; monitoring flight and engine instruments; and maintaining air-to-ground communications.

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